

Comparing Proof Techniques on the Simply Typed Lambda Calculus between ITT and HoTT

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1 Extrinsically Typed λ^{\rightarrow} with de Bruijn Indices in ITT

First, we worked with an extrinsically typed lambda calculus. In an extrinsically typed lambda calculus, the type of the lambda term exists separately from the lambda term itself. In this language, there are two types: a base type `Boolean` which contains normal forms `True` and `False`, and a type-constructor $t \rightarrow t'$ whose normal forms are all well-typed lambda abstractions. There are additionally two other terms in the language, function application and variables, whose names are de Bruijn indices. Contexts in this language are an ordered list of types of terms. The following is the definition in Agda:

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data Type : Set where
  Boolean : Type
  Function : Type -> Type -> Type

data Type-Box : Type -> Set where
  Box : (t : Type) -> Type-Box t
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data Context : Set where
  Empty : Context
  _,_ : Context → Type → Context

Variable : Context → Set
Variable Empty =
Variable ($\Gamma$ , t) = (Variable $\Gamma$) (Type-Box t)

data Term ($\Gamma$ : Context) : Set where
  Var : Variable $\Gamma$ → Term $\Gamma$
  Fun : t → Term ($\Gamma$ , t) → Term $\Gamma$
  App : Term $\Gamma$ → Term $\Gamma$ → Term $\Gamma$
  True : Term $\Gamma$
  False : Term $\Gamma$

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